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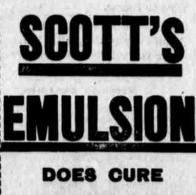
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Immense Destruction By Light-ning, Rain, Wind and Hall. Pittsburgh and Other Pennsylvania West Virginia Towns Flooded. The heaviest rain and electrical storm known in years passed over a large soc-Western Pennsylvania on

of several lives. The storm struck Pittsburgh about four o'clock, but no serious damage was done in the old city. In the East End, however, the wind played havoc. Houses were torn down, trees uprooted and outbuildings demolished. On Winebfidle avenue five new frame houses were lifted from their foundation and completely destroyed. Another house on Blackhorse Hill, occupied by John Miller, was lifted bodily from the foundations and blown a considerable distance. At least a score of houses in the vicinity were unroofed. The loss is estimated at from \$25,000 to \$80,000. At McKeesport hail stones as large as walnuts fell, while the rain poured down in sheets for a full half hour. The greatest injury was done by the water which came down White's hollow in a stream seventy-five feet wide. At Greensburg, Pa., Wm. Frye, the gardner at St. Joseph's Academy, was struck and instantly killed by a bolt of lightning. A cow standing near him was also killed. Lightning also struck Colonel Huff's palatial residence, the First Reformed Church and other buildings, doing great damage in every instance. Near Washington, Pa., lightning struck a derrick in the course of ercction on the Colonel Robert Miller farm, shattering it. and killing William Furman, single; seriously injuring William Gates and stunning two others. At Scottdale the storm was particularly destructive. Cellars along all the principal streets are nearly filled with water, and the goods that many of the merchants had stored away are saturated. The creek is rising steadily, and the safety of a couple of the railroad bridges between Scottdale and Fair Chance are endangered. The construction train has been ordered to the scene. A dispatch from Oil City, Pa., says heavy rain fell almost steadily for many hours, raising the water in the river and creek to the highest point since 1883. The rise in the river has been at its highest average in the last four hours, and stands now at 14 feet 9 inches, a rise of six feet in a few hours. Reports from all points

in cellars and first floors. In Pittsburgh the heavy rain is likely to swell the rivers to flood proportions. At all points along the Allegheny, Youghiogheny and Monongahela rivers the rain-fall was unsual. The stage of water at Pittsburgh was thirteen feet and rising. Stung to Deat's by Baes. J. W. Riley, of Cueel, a village near Augusta, Ga., was passing through that town in a one-horse wagon, and his mule pulled out in the shade where W. K. Wilkinson's bee gums were and became fastened among the trees. The bees literally covered them and the unfortunate man remained covered by the insects until a boy ran a quarter of a mile and got help from the men at stores who went and loosened the mule first, dragging Mr. Riley out of the wagon in an unconscious condition. Dr. Gordy

be at least five feet higher. On account

of washouts, no railroad communication

can be had with Buffalo or Warren. The

ground floors of the lower portion of the

town are flooded, including the basement

of the Oil Exchange and the Derrick

press-room. At Wheeling, W. Va., about

two and one-half inches of rain fell in

twenty minutes, deluging the streets

and flooding a number of business houses

attended the sufferer, but he has no hopes of his recovery. About Ten Dollars a Skin. Marshal O. S. Porter, of Alaska, sold n San Francisco, at auction, 2,468 sealskins seized in Behring Sea last year by the revenue cutter Rush from illegal sealers. Almost the entire lot was purchased by the North American Commercial Company, the present lessees of the seal-fishing ground. The aggregate amount was \$24,256, which will be turn-ed over to the U. S. Government.

Sawflies in Tilinois. An insect called the sawfly is reported to be ruining the wheat in various parts of Central Illinois, notably in Logan County, where the area of wheat planted is unusually large, and where, until the ravages of this insect began, the promise was remarkably fine. Large areas of wheat will be plowed up and the land planted in other crops.

Electrocation Not Cruel. The Supreme Court of the United States denied the application for writ of error in the case of Kommler, under sentence of death by electricity. Opinion by Chief Justin Fuller. The opinion say; this mode of execution is not

Strangied Himself With a Flag. Edward Kenna, superintendent of the Landale Hotel, Florence, Ark, was found hanging to a transom of his door with a ten-foot U. S. flag wrapped around his neck. Mr. Kenna was a native of Philadelphia.

Kentucky Redistricted.
The Kentucky Legislature has passed bill redistricting the State for Congressional purposes. It gives the Dem-ecrats ten districts and the Republicans

one district. Massachusette World Pair Commissioners. The Governor of Massachusetts nomnated as World's Fair Commissioners Francis W. Breed, of Linn, and Thos. E. Proctor, of Boston. D. H. Arnold, ex-sheriff of Colusa

County, Cal., was acquitted of the mur-der of S. W. Garness, who had calumnisted his wife.

The Oldest Man in Ohio Dead.

SANDUSKY, May 7 .- Richard Brewer, the oldest man in the State, died at a late hour last night at his home near the village of Birmingham, in this county. He was one hundred and eight years of age on the 1st inst. Mr. Brewer was born at Vaneapush, N. Y., and came to this county in 1815. He married Nancy Schaefer in Florence township, this county, in 1818, and survived her two years, she dying in 1888 at the age of ninety-nine years. Mr. Brewer was a marvelously well preserved man. He was six feet two inches in height, was powerfully built, and up to within three days of his death was in complete possession of all of his faculties. He gave a birthday party on Thursday last and greatly enjoyed the occasion. He was a "mighty hunter" in his palmy days, and a record kept by him shows that he killed hundreds of bear, panthers, wolves, deer, etc., in this county. He leaves five sons and three daughters and a host of grand and great-grandchildren, some of whom reside in this city. His death was sudden and unexpected, as he had been in the enjoyment of excellent health up to last Saturday .- Cleveland

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To where with active mind the track Of pleasure, learning, love, was sought.

Twas mid the vallevs fresh and green, We chased the rabbit to his cave; Twas 'neath the pines in moonlight sheen, Our thought first turned to thoughts of love.

Lies with the college on the hill, To bid us still improve each hour, Our minds and heart with wisdom fill. Woe to the man who never laid
A plan for life, while neath its roof;
Nor for his life wise pledges made,
Made them irresolute proof.

All men must proven be of God,
That we have done or hope to do.
If we have failed, his chastening rod

Ever let such memories be If wise our teaching, zeal is true—
tonic, when mature thoughs flee,
A starting point to build anew. If then in youth we fail to start,

For a certain destiny or end, And lite's a failure, whole or part, Review the past for a means to mend. What more inspiring mundane thought.

Than measures planned in school days bright? None. Then wage the war that youth has

taught, Your hands and mind can ably fight.

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A second soon appeared and fared no better; he ran away howling. Gradually, as a third and a fourth shared the same fate, a crowd gathered.

One of the owners of the shop, who wanted to find out the cause of the trouble, at last went out and touched the pig, and flew back as though something had stung him. An investigation proved that an electric light wire had come in contact with the hook on which the meat was hung .- Philadelphia Times.

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Resolution in Relation to the Census

Representative McAdoo, of New Jersey, presented in the House a preamble and resolution in relation to questions to be asked by census enumerators. It is as follows: Whereas, Complaint is being made of the alleged inquisitorial character of the census questions, which questions are declared to be incompatible with the rights of freemen, and an unwarranted and unconstitutional exercise of power by the Federal Gov-ernment; therefore, be it Resolved, That the Committee on the Eleventh Census be, and they are hereby directed, to make inquiry into the questions proposed to be asked of citizens by the Census Bureau or its agents, and to report, if found necessary, a measure looking to the proper restriction of the

LIQUOR DECISION.

An Iowa Judge Takes Issue With the U. S. Supreme Court. Judge Hindman, of the district court, at Nevada, Ia., in his charge to the grand jury, took the ground that, notwithstanding the late decision of the U. S. Supreme Court, no person has a right in that State to keep a place for the sale of intoxicating liquors of any kind, either in original packages or oth erwise. He maintained that inter-State commerce has nothing to do with the question. The first original package saloon of Mason City, Ia., was opened up by M. J. Collins. He has taken the agency for selling the goods, and, in case of litigation, the company will back

Killed at Prayer.

While the people of the village of St. Mahlen, near Hillesheim, Hanover, were assembled in the church, whither they had repaired to pray for the cessation of the hailstorms which have of late prevailed in that locality with damaging effect, the building was struck by lightning. Four persons were instantly killed, twenty were seriously injured and four were permanently blinded by the flash. The congregation was in an attitude of prayer at the time the bolt fell. In the ensuing rush for the doors, the people being wild with fright, two children were crushed two death.

Mississippi Emerging From the Flood. All the railroads leading into Greenville, Miss., are pushing their work as fast as possible, but owing to the many obstacles in their way, caused by the overflow, it is hardly probable that regular trains can be run with safety before June 1. Planting interests throughout the overflowed country are looking very satisfactory. Cotton is all planted, in many places up, and the plant is pronounced to be in a healthy condition. With the aid of favorable weather a good crop can yet be made.

Oklahoma Governor Arrives. Governor Steele, Oklahoma's first Governor, has arrived at Guthrie. He was met at Arkansas City by a reception committee composed of delegations from all the principal cities in the new Ter-When the train-which was beautifully decorated with drapery of the national colors-arrived it was greeted with a salute of cannon and musketry by a detachment of the U.S. troops stationed at Guthrie.

Woman's Loap From a Car Window Mrs. Beckie Gilmore, while being conveyed to Moosic from Wilkesbarre, Pa., under charge of Constable Hines, made a sudden dash, jumped through the car window while the train was running at twenty-five miles an hour. Next morning her shawl and bonnet were found on the river bank. It is thought she jumped in the river and drowned.

Virginia Municipal Elections. Municipal elections were held throughout Virginia on the 22d. The Democrats were successful in Alexandria, Norfolk, Richmond, Lynchburg, Danville and Petersburg. The Republicans elected their candidate for mayor in Roanoke. A light vote was polled

throughout the State.

Blew Out His Brains. Theodore Neubuer, a fifteen-year-old boy, for whom the police have been looking for several days for the theft of \$37 from his brother, was seen on the street in Madison, Wis., on the 22d. A policeman was about to arrest him, when he drew a revolver, blew out his brains and fell dead at the feet of his would-be captor.

A Bank Fails. The National Bank of Middle Tennessee, at Lebanon. Tenn., has assigned. Assets and liabilities not computed The failure is due to a rush on the bank caused by a rumor to the effect that it was financially embarrassed.

Abram Bogardus, formerly Superintendent of Mails in Rochester (N. Y.) post-office, pleaded guilty to all counts against him charging secretion of letters. Penitentiary for three years. Suicide of a Black-Mailer. An actor named Siebert, who was ac-

cused of attempting to black-mail a

prominent lady in Vienna, has commit-

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One Private Kills Another.

At Fort Monroe, Va., Private Tighe,
of Battery F, First Artillery, was shot

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> To Protect the Play. The bill to prevent the desecration of the U. S. flag was favorably reported to the House on the 32d.

> Weman Suffrage.
> The House Judiciary Committee has agreed to favorably report the joint res-olution providing for a constitutional amendment granting the right of suffrage to women.

> Takes Flight With \$20,000. Elzo Allen, confidential clerk of the Austin Investment Company, headquarters in Kansas City, Mo., has disappeared with \$20,000 of the company's funds.

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Notice.

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Sophia B. Hollister, of Kansar Chiy, Jackson county, Mo., will take notice that Isaac Holmes, as guardian of William Holmes and Addie Holmes, minors, did. on the 21st day of April, 1890, file his petition in the Common Piesa Conrt of Hight and in the Common Piesa Conrt of Hight and county, Ohio, against said Sophia B. Hollister, Case No. —, setting forth that on October —, 1878, one H title G. Holmes, died intestate, seized in fee simple of intox Nos. Mand 55, in Collina & Hundley's addition to the village of Lychburg, riighland county, Ohio, leaving Henry P. Holmes, her hand, and said William Holmes and Addie Holmes, her only children and heira-at-liew. That on November 7th, 1879, said Henry P. Holmes, conveyed his interest in said premises to said Sophia B. Hollister, who has ever since heen, and is now, in possession and control of the same.

That said Sophia B. Hollister has committed and suffered waste on said premises, by removing and destroying fences, by permitting roofs on buildings thereon to become leaky and out of repair, by neglecting to keep said buildings suitably painted and insured, to plaintiff's damage \$195.

The prayer of said petition is that said courtesy estate of said defendant, Sophia B. Hollister, may be declared forfeited, and defendant at the said of a said proper relief. Baid defendant is courted in a sured to plantiff, and for \$196 damages and for all proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief. Baid defendant is control to a said proper relief.